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FROM:

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Auditor-Controller

SUBJECT: HURRICANE KATRINA LEAVE DONATIONS - DECEMBER 2006

On November 1, 2005, your Board adopted an amendment to the ordinance that establishes the Hurricane Katrina Leave Donation Program. This program allows County employees to donate up to three days of paid leave (i.e., 24 hours in full-hour increments). Participating employees must agree to forfeit the time in exchange for a County contribution to the Red Cross, Salvation Army, or United Way equal to the cash value of the time. This program expires December 31, 2006, or when the leave donation value reaches \$2 million (whichever comes first).

During December 2006, leave donations of \$859.20 were processed (There were no donations processed from August through November 2006). Detailed reports are available of the amounts to be contributed to the Red Cross, Salvation Army, and United Way. To date, we have processed leave donations totaling \$95,213.47. This will be the last report as the program was set to be discontinued on December 31, 2006.

Please call me directly at (213) 974-0383 if you have any questions or your staff may call Gregg Iverson at (213) 974-0342.

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Bd and Dept Heads/Hurricane Katrina Leave Donations

c: David E. Janssen, Chief Administrative Officer Public Information Office